

only did Dr. Phillips attain that goal, he exceeded it. During his tenure, Dr. Phillips also saw the construction of two elementary schools and a high school, as well as renovations to the middle school.

Mr. President, I ask my colleagues to join with me in commending Dr. Phillips for his outstanding service on the Spring-Ford School Board, as well as his years of active involvement in educational activities in Pennsylvania.●

IMANI ART MUSEUM

● Mr. COVERDELL. Mr. President, I rise today to commend the goals of the proposed IMANI Art Museum in Americus, Georgia. I would also like to note the work of Dr. Ron Maxwell for working to make the museum a reality.

The IMANI Art Museum will be dedicated to encouraging diversity and educating the community about contemporary forms of African art and African American art. Such a museum will help preserve the culture and history of African Americans so that future generations may fully appreciate their accomplishments.

Furthering the museum's goals of education, the museum will feature a Children's Center, W.J. Robinson Center for Art Teaching and Learning, and a research library. The Children's Center will strive to increase youth self esteem and self respect through the recognition and acquisition of art skills and historical knowledge. The W.J. Robinson Center will serve as a valuable resource and training tool for the community's teachers in all aspects of diversity issues and educational curriculum. The research library will serve as a valuable resource to students and the community with regards to the African American history and culture.

Once again, Mr. President, I commend the goals of the proposed IMANI Art Museum and the diligent work of Dr. Ron Maxwell. The museum will provide history and cultural richness for the citizens of Southwest Georgia as well as prove to be important to the economic development and tourism industry which is sorely needed in this region. As we continue to look for ways at bringing people together, let us look to intentions of the proposed IMANI Art Museum as a leader in this effort.●

CALVIN COLLEGE NATIONAL TITLE

● Mr. ABRAHAM. Mr. President, I rise today to congratulate a group of very special young women from Calvin College. The Calvin College Women's Cross Country team placed first in the National Championships for Division III. This is the first national championship won by a MIAA (Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association) team in cross country.

The following 19 girls who make up the team, have indeed made Calvin College proud: Rashel Bayes, Erinn Boot,

Kristi Brown, Lindsay Carrier, Andrea Clark, Allison Cook, Sara Crowe, April DeKorte, Kristie DeYoung, Sarah Gibson, Elisabeth Giessel, Sarah Gritter, Emily Hollender, Elizabeth Kuipers, Kris Lumkes, Amy Mizzone, Lisa Timmer, Candice Vandergriff, and Katherine VanDerSchaaf. I would also like to recognize Nancy Meyer, the coach of the women's cross country team, who was named the national cross country coach of the year.

The Calvin Women's Cross Country team has now earned 16 All-American berths in the history of its program and eight top-10 national team finishes. It is my pleasure, once again, to congratulate the Calvin College Women's Cross Country team. It is very encouraging to see these young women strive for such excellence. This team has made Calvin College and the entire state of Michigan very proud.●

TRIBUTE TO WALTER ADAMS

● Mr. ABRAHAM. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Walter Adams of East Lansing, Michigan. In the 76 years before his passing, Mr. Adams touched the lives of his family, his students, and his fellow community members with his passion for learning. Mr. Adams is best known for his longtime dedication to Michigan State University as a forty-six-year faculty member, including one year as president of the university.

As a lifelong promoter of education, Mr. Adams touched the lives of students and colleagues alike. He never lost his interest, his enthusiasm, and his total commitment to the ideals of education. His students were fortunate to be under the tutelage of an instructor who was knowledgeable, experienced, and committed to improving the knowledge of those he taught. Even after his retirement in 1993, Mr. Adams remained steadfastly loyal to the university.

As Americans, we owe a great deal to those individuals who choose to prepare future generations to lead this country. Mr. Adams was not only part of this group, he was one of its finest members. He will be remembered fondly by all those he guided and inspired.●

TRIBUTE TO FAYANNE KAUFMAN

● Mr. ABRAHAM. Mr. President, I rise today in remembrance of Fayanne Kaufman of Farmington Hills, Michigan. In the 72 years before her passing, Mrs. Kaufman touched the lives of her family, her students, and her fellow community members with her passion for life and learning.

Mrs. Kaufman responded to life's challenges with strength and optimism. After her husband's untimely death in 1965, she joined the ranks of older Americans pursuing higher education and attained her teaching degree at Wayne State University. In 1968, she began a 30-year career in the Farmington Public Schools, teaching

at both the middle and high school levels. A renowned artist in the fields of ceramics and jewelry making, Mrs. Kaufman encouraged her students to develop their talents and helped them receive scholarships at various art and design institutions throughout the United States. In addition, she inspired and worked with troubled students to turn their lives around. Mrs. Kaufman remained active with her alma mater over the years as an alumnus and was honored by the university with the Woman of Wayne State Award. In the past decade, she strengthened her commitment to public service with three bids for the Michigan Board of Education.

Most importantly, Mrs. Kaufman was a devoted mother to her three sons. She raised her children to appreciate the importance of education and community service. As her son Jerry said, "She was amazing and had such a warm sweet spirit." Mrs. Kaufman inspired us all to serve our community to the best of our ability and reassured us that we all can have a positive impact on the world around us. I wish to extend best wishes to the entire Kaufman family.●

RETIREMENT OF MR. WOODROW DAWSON, JR.

● Mr. ABRAHAM. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Mr. Woodrow Dawson, Jr. of Southfield, Michigan. On December 31, 1998, after 25 years of service, Mr. Dawson retired from Ford Motor Company, Dearborn Glass. His dedication to an industry that is historically and economically significant to our state is highly commendable. It is people like Mr. Dawson who contribute to the great productivity of our nation.

In addition to his hard work with Ford, Mr. Dawson is a committed member of his community. He is an elder at St. Paul Church of God in Christ in Detroit, which he has attended for 50 years. Even more importantly, he is a devoted husband to his wife of 31 years and father to four children. I extend my warmest wishes and the best of luck for the future to Mr. Dawson and his family.●

APPOINTING A COMMITTEE TO ESCORT THE CHIEF JUSTICE

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent the Presiding Officer be authorized to appoint a committee of Senators, three upon the recommendation of the majority leader and three upon the recommendation of the minority leader, to escort the Chief Justice out of the Senate Chamber at the conclusion of the Court of Impeachment.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, the Chair, on behalf of the majority leader, appoints Mr. THURMOND of South Carolina, Mr. ROTH of Delaware, and Mr. DOMENICI of New